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Missouri

**Pageant Presented by the School of
Education of the University
February 22, 1916.**

Of the officers of the Pageant presented by the School of Education of the University of Missouri on February 22, 1916, the following were Phi Delta Kappa members. Pageant Master, Linwood Taft; Assistants to Committee, A. Heinz, Abner Jones; Ticket Agent, S. T. Bratton; Head Usher, M. J. Boyd; Stage Carpenter, L. R. Fuller; Director, Monastic Education, R. K. Watkins. Nearly all of the other members of the Fraternity took some part in the Pageant.

Nine types of education were selected to be represented in the Pageant, without any attempt to show any particular line of development. Three symbolical figures, America, Hope, and Despair, with twenty-two attendants and eight heralds, appeared in the Prologue. Over two hundred people took part and practically all of them except the children were enrolled in the School of Education.

The costumes, designed by a student, were made by students under the direction of a costumer who was also

a student. Students wrote the lines of the Prologue, and students arranged the music for a twelve-piece orchestra, from standard compositions. The German words of the Froebel Mother-song were set to music composed for the occasion by a student who also directed the orchestra. While each unit of material was submitted to a Faculty Adviser before it was finally accepted, the work was practically all done by students.

The extent of the undertaking may be judged by the fact that two hundred and twenty dollars were spent in putting on the Pageant, yet the admission, twenty-five and fifteen cents, was within reach of all.

The thirty-two page book of the Pageant containing a complete cast of characters, half-tones of three of the episodes, the words of the Prologue, and descriptions of all the episodes was published without any advertisements, and was sold at cost.

Common opinion among the members of the Faculty, the students, and the townspeople agrees that it was the best and most ambitious affair given by the students of the University in many years.

Washington

Over eight hundred of a total number of two thousand four hundred eighty-four graduates of the University of Washington—eight hundred ten to be exact—are at the present time

devoting their time to the cause of education. The profession of law claims its quota and ranks next to the teaching profession, but its thirteen per cent of graduates makes a poor second